

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

September 6, 2007

Reuben V. Anderson, Treasurer Friends of Bennie Thompson P.O. Box 100 Bolton, MS 39041

Response Due Date: October 9, 2007

Identification Number: C00279851

Reference:

Amended July Quarterly Report (4/1/07 – 6/30/07), received 7/16/07

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following item:

- Line 1 of FEC Form 3Z-1 reports \$495,612.89 in gross receipts for the Primary and General Election. However, this amount is greater than the total gross receipts disclosed on your current and previous reports. Gross receipts should include all the receipts collected by all of the candidate's authorized committees that are designated for the 2008 Primary and General Election and disclosed on a Schedule A for Lines 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please amend your report(s) to provide the missing information or to disclose the correct gross receipts amount. (11 CFR § 104.19(b))

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather